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SUBJECT: SKOPJE TV TEAM IN U.S.

1. TV SKOPJE FOREIGN AFFAIRS EXPERT TIHOMIR ILIEVSKI WILL HEAD 3-MAN FILM CREW TO U.S., ARRIVING NEW YORK FEB 27 OR 28 FROM CUBA (VIA THIRD COUNTRY), AFTER FILMING THERE AND ELSEWHERE IN LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES. IN NEW YORK WILL FILM AT U.N. ON UPCOMING SSOD AND REQUESTS ON-CAMERA INTERVIEW WITH AMBASSADOR YOUNG OR OTHER SENIOR MEMBER U.S. DELEGATION MARCH 1, 2, OR 3. (FYI, WILL ALSO SEEK INTERVIEW WITH SOVIET AMBASSADOR OR MEMBER SOVIET DELEGATION).

2. DURING SAME 3-DAY PERIOD ILIEVSKI FILM CREW WILL VISIT WASHINGTON AND ILIEVSKI IS INTERESTED IN ON-CAMERA INTERVIEW WITH STATE AND/OR ACDA SPOKESMAN ON U.S. DISARMAMENT POLICY.

3. ILIEVSKI WILL CONTACT USIA FOREIGN PRESS CENTER IN N.Y. UPON ARRIVAL FOR INTERVIEW SCHEDULE CONFIRMATION AND COORDINATION. SINCE FILM CREW DEPARTING SKOPJE TOMORROW FOR UNCLASSIFIED

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LATIN AMERICAN AREA FILMING, IT WILL BE DIFFICULT TO NOTIFY ILIEVSKI OR APPOINTMENTS BEFORE ARRIVALSQN N.Y. HE UNDERSTANDS THAT NOTHING CAN BE CONFIRMED UNTIL THEN.

4. REQUEST TEN LIVE APPOINTMENTS BE MADE FOR THESE INTERVIEWS, TO BE CONFIRMED BY ILIEVSKI FEB 27 OR 28. THE U.S. IS TOO OFTEN PORTRAYED AS A PROFIT-MOTIVATED ARMS MERCHANT IN

YUGOSLAV MEDIA, A MEDIA WITH WIDE AUDIENCE IN NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES DUE TO YUGOSLAVIA'S LEADING ROLE IN NAM. RARELY DO WE HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT U.S. THINKING ON DISARMAMENT BEFORE YUGOSLAV MASS-MEDIA PUBLIC, AND WE SHOULD NOT MISS THIS CHANCE TO DO SO. RESULTING TV SKOPJE DOCUMENTARY WILL BE AIRED VIA YUGOSLAV NATIONAL RADIO TELEVISION NETWORK. WARNER

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